

Class:-8

Hydrogen Spectrum

Teaching Task

JEE Main level

Q1) Ans:- B.

Solution:- $\frac{1}{\lambda_1} = R(1)^2 \left[\frac{1}{1^2} - \frac{1}{\infty^2} \right]$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda_2} = R(1)^2 \left[\frac{1}{2^2} - \frac{1}{4^2} \right]$$

$$\lambda_1 = \frac{1}{R} \text{ and } \lambda_2 = \frac{16}{3R}$$

$$\therefore \frac{16}{\lambda_2} = \frac{3}{\lambda_1}$$

Q2) Ans:- A, B, C

Solution:- Lyman series, of hydrogen.

$$v_1 = R \left[\frac{1}{1^2} - \frac{1}{\infty^2} \right] \times 1^2 = R[1] = R.$$

Last line of Lyman series of He^+ .

$$v_2 = R \left[\frac{1}{1^2} - \frac{1}{\infty^2} \right] \times 2^2 = R(4) = 4R.$$

Last line of Balmer series of He^+ .

$$v_3 = R \left[\frac{1}{2^2} - \frac{1}{\infty^2} \right] \times 2^2 = R \left[\frac{1}{4} \right] 4 = R.$$

$$v_1 = v_3, \quad 2(v_1 + v_3) = v_2, \quad 4v_1 = v_2$$

Q3) Ans:- A.

Solution:- $u_1 = R \left[\frac{1}{1^2} - \frac{1}{\infty^2} \right] = R.$

$$u_2 = R \left[\frac{1}{1^2} - \frac{1}{2^2} \right] = R \left[\frac{4-1}{4} \right] = \frac{3R}{4}.$$

$$u_3 = R \left[\frac{1}{2^2} - \frac{1}{\infty^2} \right] = \frac{R}{4}$$

A) $u_1 - u_2 = R - \frac{3R}{4} = \frac{4R-3R}{4} = \frac{R}{4} = u_3 \checkmark$

B) $u_2 - u_1 = \frac{3R}{4} - R = \frac{3R-4R}{4} = -\frac{R}{4} \times$

C) $u_3 = \frac{1}{2}(u_1 - u_2) = \frac{1}{2} \left[R - \frac{3R}{4} \right] = \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{4R-3R}{4} \right]$
 $= \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{R}{4} = \frac{R}{8}.$

$u_3 = \frac{R}{4}$. So it's wrong.

D) $u_1 + u_2 = R + \frac{3R}{4} = \frac{4R+3R}{4} = \frac{7R}{4}.$

Q4) Ans:- C.

Solution:- $v = RZ^2 \left[\frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right].$

Here, $n_1 + n_2 = 4, n_2 - n_1 = 2$

Solve $n_2 + n_1 = 4$

$$n_2 - n_1 = 2$$

$$\hline 2n_2 = 6 \rightarrow n_2 = 3 \text{ then}$$

$$n_1 = 1.$$

$$v = R \cdot 3^2 \left[\frac{1}{1^2} - \frac{1}{3^2} \right]$$

$$= 9R \left[\frac{9-1}{9} \right] = 8R.$$

Q5) Ans:- A

Solution:- For n^{th} excited state $n = (n^{\text{th}} + 1)$

Here $n^{\text{th}} = 3^{\text{rd}} = 3 + 1$.

$$n = 4.$$

For the first H-atom the possible no. of

photons emitted \rightarrow $4 \rightarrow 3$
 $3 \rightarrow 2$
 $2 \rightarrow 1$.

For the 2nd H-atom, the possible no. of photons

emitted \Rightarrow $4 \rightarrow 2$
 $2 \rightarrow 1$ (repeated)

\therefore The maximum no. of photons emitted $\rightarrow 4$.

Q6) Ans:- B, C, D.

Solution:- $n_2 = 5$, $n_1 = 2$

No. of lines belonging to Balmer series.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{No. of spectral lines} &= \frac{(n_2 - n_1)(n_2 - n_1 + 1)}{2} \\ &= \frac{(5 - 2)(5 - 2 + 1)}{2} \\ &= \frac{3(3 + 1)}{2} = \frac{3(4)}{2} = 6. \end{aligned}$$

\therefore When in a H-like sample, electrons make transition from 4th excited to 2nd state, then 6 different spectral lines observed

\rightarrow Balmer series i.e. $5 \rightarrow 2$, $4 \rightarrow 2$ & $3 \rightarrow 2$

\rightarrow Paschen series i.e. $5 \rightarrow 3$, $4 \rightarrow 3$.

Q7) Ans:- B.

Solution:- First line of Lyman series.

$$\frac{1}{\lambda_1} = R \times 1^2 \left[\frac{1}{1^2} - \frac{1}{\infty} \right]$$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda_1} = R.$$

$$\lambda_1 = x.$$

$$\frac{1}{x} = R \Rightarrow x = \frac{1}{R}.$$

For Balmer series, $n_1=2$, $n_2=3$.

$$\frac{1}{\lambda_2} = R \times 1^2 \left[\frac{1}{2^2} - \frac{1}{3^2} \right]$$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda_2} = R \left[\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{9} \right] = R \left[\frac{9-4}{36} \right] = \frac{5R}{36}.$$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda_2} = \frac{5}{36} \left[\frac{1}{x} \right]$$

$$\lambda_2 = \frac{36x}{5}$$

Q8) Ans:- C.

Solution:- Angular momentum $L = n \frac{h}{2\pi}$

For 3rd line of the Balmer $n_2=2$, $n_1=5$

Initial angular momentum ($n=5$) $\rightarrow L_1 = 5 \frac{h}{2\pi}$.

Final angular momentum ($n=2$) $\rightarrow L_2 = \frac{2h}{2\pi}$

change in Angular momentum $\Delta L = L_1 - L_2$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{5h}{2\pi} - \frac{2h}{2\pi} \\ &= \frac{5h-2h}{2\pi} = \frac{3h}{2\pi} \end{aligned}$$

Q9)

Ans: A

Solution: For $n=4$ only 2 balmer lines are obtained. i.e., $4 \rightarrow 2, 3 \rightarrow 2$.

$$K.E = 13 - \frac{13.6}{4^2}$$

$$KE = 12.15 \text{ eV.}$$

Q10)

Ans: A

Solution: $\frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left[\frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right]$

$$n_1 = 1 \text{ \& } n_2 = \infty$$

$$R = 1.097 \times 10^7 \text{ m}^{-1}.$$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = 1.097 \times 10^7 \left[\frac{1}{1^2} - \frac{1}{\infty^2} \right] = 1.097 \times 10^7 \text{ m}^{-1}.$$

$$\lambda = 9.1 \times 10^{-8} \text{ m} = 91 \text{ nm.}$$

Q11)

Ans: A

Solution: The frequency of light emitted for the transition $n=4$ to $n=2$ of helium ion is equal to that H atom will be $n=2$ to $n=1$.

For He^+ ion.

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = (Z^2) R_H \left[\frac{1}{2^2} - \frac{1}{4^2} \right] = R_H \left(\frac{3}{4} \right)$$

For H atom.

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = R_H \left[\frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right]$$

$$R_H \left[\frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right] = 4 R_H \left[\frac{1}{2^2} - \frac{1}{4^2} \right].$$

$$\text{So } n_1 = 2, n_2 = 1.$$

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Q1)

Ans: B

Solution:

A) The marginal line in Balmer series, $n=3$ to $n=2$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left[\frac{1}{2^2} - \frac{1}{3^2} \right] \rightarrow \frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left[\frac{9-4}{36} \right] = \frac{5R}{36}$$

B) Last line of Lyman series $\infty \rightarrow 1$.

$n=\infty$ to $n=1$.

C) The marginal line in Paschen series $n=4$ to $n=3$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left[\frac{1}{3^2} - \frac{1}{4^2} \right] \Rightarrow \frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left[\frac{16-9}{144} \right] = R \left[\frac{7}{144} \right] = \frac{7R}{144}$$

D). $\lambda = \frac{R_H}{\left[\frac{1}{2^2} - \frac{1}{n^2} \right]}$, $n > 6 \Rightarrow$ The Humphrey

series not written in this way.

Q2)

Ans: B.

Solution: A) Balmer series belongs to visible region

B) 1st line of Lyman series from $2 \rightarrow 1$.

C) 1st line of Balmer series $n_1=2$, $n_2=3$.

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left[\frac{1}{2^2} - \frac{1}{3^2} \right] \rightarrow \frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left[\frac{9-4}{36} \right] = \frac{5R}{36} \checkmark$$

D) The energy differences in the Lyman series are b/w 13.6 to 10.2 eV.

Q3) Ans: C

Solution: The wave number $\bar{\nu} = \frac{1}{\lambda}$ is quantised because it depends on the energy levels of the atom, which are discrete

→ Wave number is related to the energy difference b/w two levels (ΔE) via the Rydberg formula, not directly to the velocity of the electron.

Q4) Ans: D

Solution: No spectral lines observed and no energy released when transition in same energy.

Q5) Ans: C

Solution:

1) For He^+ ion, the spectral lines of the Balmer series correspond to transitions to $n=2$, and the energy level are much higher than those of hydrogen due to the increased nuclear charge ($Z=2$). These transitions result in wavelengths outside the visible region

2) The Balmer series of the hydrogen atom corresponds to transition to $n=2$, these lines are primarily in visible range.

3) Lyman series He^+ ($Z=2$, $n=3$, $n=1$).

$$\Delta E = 13.6 \times Z^2 \left[\frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right]$$

$$\Delta E = 13.6 \times 4 \left[\frac{1}{1^2} - \frac{1}{3^2} \right] = 48.4 \text{ eV.}$$

Q6) Ans:- c

Solution:- First line of paschen series in $n_1=3$ to

$n_2=4$ in Be^{+3} ion. $Z=4$.

$$\begin{aligned}\bar{\nu} &= \frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left[\frac{1}{3^2} - \frac{1}{4^2} \right] \cdot 4^2 \\ &= R \left[\frac{16-9}{144} \right] \cdot 16 = \frac{7R}{9}.\end{aligned}$$

Q7) Ans:- $\frac{400}{9}$

Solution:- Marginal line of brackett series is

$n_1=4$, $n_2=5$.

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left[\frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right]$$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left[\frac{1}{4^2} - \frac{1}{5^2} \right]$$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left[\frac{25-16}{400} \right] = \frac{9R}{400}.$$

$$\lambda = \frac{400}{9R} \rightarrow \lambda = \frac{\lambda}{R_H}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{400}{9} = 44.44.$$

Q8) Ans:- 2

Solution:- $\lambda_B - \lambda_L = 59.3 \text{ nm}$

$$\lambda_B = \frac{4}{RZ^2} \quad \& \quad \lambda_L = \frac{1}{RZ^2} \rightarrow \frac{4}{RZ^2} - \frac{1}{RZ^2} = 59.3 \times 10^{-9} \text{ m}$$

$$\frac{3}{RZ^2} = 59.3 \times 10^{-9}$$

$$Z^2 = \frac{3}{R(59.3) \times 10^{-9}} \Rightarrow Z^2 = \frac{3}{1.097 \times 10^7 \times 59.3 \times 10^9}$$

$$Z^2 = 4.61 \rightarrow Z = 2$$

Q9) Ans: 2

Solution:- $\frac{1}{\lambda} = RZ^2 \left[\frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right]$

Range: $120\text{nm} = 1.2 \times 10^{-7}\text{m}$, $165\text{nm} = 1.65 \times 10^{-7}\text{m}$.

For n_2 value of He^+ .

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = 4R \left[\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right]$$

$\lambda = 120\text{nm}$

$$\frac{1}{1.2 \times 10^{-7}\text{m}} = 4R \left[\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right]$$

$n_2^2 = 16.67$, $n_2 = 4$.

For $\lambda = 165\text{nm}$.

$$\frac{1}{n_2^2} = 0.112$$

$n_2^2 \approx 8.93 \Rightarrow n_2 = 3$

The possible n_2 values are 3, 4. Therefore 2 lines of the Balmer series fall within the wavelength range 120nm to 165nm .

Matrix Matching

Q10) Ans:- A) p. B) q. C) r. D) r.

Solution:-

A) Lyman series \rightarrow p) $\frac{n(n-1)}{2}$, $n=4 \rightarrow \frac{4(3)}{2} = 6$ spectral lines formed.

B) Balmer series \rightarrow q) Maximum no. of lines 2

C) In sample of H \rightarrow r). wave number $\frac{8R}{9}$.
 \rightarrow 2 transition

D) In a single isolated \rightarrow r) wave number $\frac{8R}{9}$.
H-atom $3 \rightarrow 1$.

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Q1) Ans:- D.

Solution:- When an electron present in the $N=4$ shell of H atom, then it can make a transition to $k=1$ shell & $L=2$ shell & $M=3$ shell of the atom. Now if it makes a transition to k shell of H-atom, then it will result in ultraviolet transmission lines (Lyman series). If the electron jumps to L shell, then it will result in visible spectral emission (Balmer series). If the electron jumps to M shell of H atom, then it will result in infrared band (Paschen series).

Q2) Ans:- A

Solution:- H α line balmer series means 3-2 transition

$$\begin{aligned}\text{we know, wave number} &= R \left[\frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right] \\ &= R \left[\frac{1}{2^2} - \frac{1}{3^2} \right] \\ &= R \left[\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{9} \right] = \frac{5R}{36}\end{aligned}$$

Q3) Ans:- B.

Solution:- Rydberg Constant $R_H = \frac{2\pi^2 Z^2 m e^4 k^2}{ch^3}$

R_H is directly proportional to mass of electron ' m '
So, R_H will become half when mass ' m ' will be half.

Q4) Ans:- B

Solution:-
$$R_H = \frac{2\pi^2 Z^2 m e^4 k^2}{ch^3}$$

Z is atomic number which is different for different elements. Therefore, Rydberg constant will be different.

Q5) Ans:- D.

Solution:- In balmer series, the first line is H α , 2nd line is H β , 3rd line H γ and 4th line is H δ .

For balmer series, n_1 is fixed at 2 and for H β $n_2 = 4$.

$$\boxed{n_1 = 2 \text{ and } n_2 = 4} \longrightarrow \Delta n = 2.$$

Q6) Ans:- D.

Solution:- Lyman series is in U.V region.

Q7) Ans:- A

Solution:- Balmer series of lines are observed when electron jump from any higher energy level to 2nd energy level.

Q8) Ans:- B.

Solution:- Any transition from $n \geq 3$ to $n = 2$ in the balmer series will be associated with colored spectral lines.

Q9) Ans:- A

Solution:- Lyman has higher energy.

Q10) Ans:- D

Solution:- The wavelength of a spectral line for an electronic transition is inversely proportional to the difference in the energy involved in the transition.

$$\Delta E = E_2 - E_1 = \frac{hc}{\lambda} \rightarrow \lambda \propto \frac{1}{\Delta E}$$

Q11) Ans:- B

Solution:- The total number of lines in the Lyman series of the hydrogen spectrum is $n-1$, where n is the no. of orbits

Q12) Ans:- A

Solution:- Energy of the hydrogen atom in n th state,

$$E_n = -\frac{13.6}{n^2} \text{ eV}$$

Here $n=5$

$$\therefore E_n = -\frac{13.6}{5^2} = -0.54 \text{ eV}$$

Q13) Ans:- C

Solution:- As both helium ion and hydrogen has one electron in their outermost shell so both show the same spectrum having similar spectral lines on transitions.

Q14) Ans:- C

Solution:- Visible region means, Balmer series.

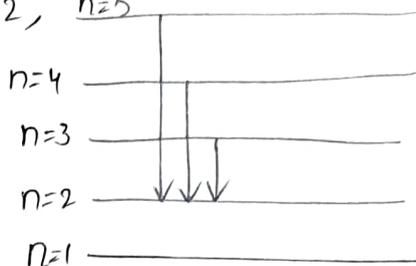
For balmer ground state $n_1 = 2$, $n_2 = 5$

Given $n_2 = 5$

No. of lines from

$5 \rightarrow 2, 4 \rightarrow 2, 3 \rightarrow 2$.

Total no. of lines = 3



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Q1) Ans:- D.

Solution:- Balmer series, $n_2 \rightarrow n_1$

$n_1 = 2, n_2 = 3, 4, 5, \dots$

$$\bar{\nu} = \frac{1}{\lambda} = R_H \left[\frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right]$$

For Hydrogen atom $\bar{\nu} = \frac{1}{\lambda} = R_H (1)^2 \left[\frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right]$

For 1st line $n_1 = 2, n_2 = 3$.

$$\bar{\nu} = \frac{1}{\lambda} = R_H \left[\frac{1}{2^2} - \frac{1}{3^2} \right] \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

For Li^{2+} $\bar{\nu} = \frac{1}{\lambda} = R_H (3)^2 \left[\frac{1}{2^2} - \frac{1}{3^2} \right] \quad \text{--- (2)}$

Substitute (1) in (2).

$$\bar{\nu} = \frac{1}{\lambda} = [\text{wave number of H}] \times 3^2$$

$$= 1500 \times 9$$

$$= 13,500$$

$$= 1.35 \times 10^4 \text{ cm}^{-1}$$

Q2) Ans:- A

Solution:- Highest possible wave length of Lyman series,

$$n_1 = 1, n_2 = 2 - -$$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = R_H \left[\frac{1}{(1)^2} - \frac{1}{(2)^2} \right] = R_H \left[\frac{4-1}{4} \right] = \frac{3R_H}{4}$$

$$\lambda_{\text{max}} = \frac{4}{3R_H}$$

For lowest possible wave length of Lyman series of

$$n_1 = 1, n_2 = \infty.$$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = R_H \left[\frac{1}{1^2} - \frac{1}{\infty^2} \right] = R_H$$

$$\lambda_{\text{min}} = \frac{1}{R_H}$$

$$\frac{\lambda_{\text{max}}}{\lambda_{\text{min}}} = \frac{\frac{4}{3R_H}}{\frac{1}{R_H}} = \frac{4}{3}$$

Q3) Ans:- B

Solution:- $\frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left[\frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right]$

Now wave number = $\frac{1}{\lambda}$.

For wavenumber to be R, $\frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} = 1$.

This is possible for limiting line of Lyman series ($n = \infty$ to $n = 1$)

Q4) Ans:- C

Solution:- In Lyman series, 1st line have more energy.

$$n_1 = 1, n_2 = 2.$$

$$\begin{aligned} E &= R_H h c (Z)^2 \left[\frac{1}{1^2} - \frac{1}{2^2} \right] \\ &= R_H h c (1)^2 \left[\frac{4-1}{4} \right] = \frac{3}{4} R_H h c. \end{aligned}$$

Q5) Ans: D.

Solution: H β line in Balmer series.

$$n_1 = 2, n_2 = 4.$$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left[\frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right] z^2$$

$$= R \left[\frac{1}{2^2} - \frac{1}{4^2} \right] = R \left[\frac{4-1}{16} \right] = \frac{3R}{16}$$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = \frac{3R}{16}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{16}{3R}.$$

Q6) Ans: A

Solution: Energy of the electron in various orbits

are Energy in 1st orbit = -13.6 eV.

$$E \propto \frac{1}{n^2}$$

$$\text{2nd orbit} = \frac{-13.6}{4} \text{ eV} = -3.4 \text{ eV.}$$

$$\text{3rd orbit} = \frac{-13.6}{9} \text{ eV} = -1.51 \text{ eV}$$

$$\text{4th orbit} = \frac{-13.6}{16} \text{ eV} = -0.85 \text{ eV.}$$

→ Electrons is excited to 4th orbit

Lyman n_1 to $n=1$, $n_1=3$ [13.6 eV - 0.8 eV]

Balmer n_2 to $n=2$, $n_2=2$ [12.75 eV]

Paschen n_3 to $n=3$ $n_3=1$.

Q7b Ans: A.

Solution: We see red end means it is a part of the visible region and obviously only Balmer series corresponds to the visible region for Balmer series $n_1=2$ and red end means low energy or third end from this means $n_2=5$.

$$5 \rightarrow 2.$$

Q8b Ans: A

Solution: The emission of visible light involves transition to 2nd orbit as it involves Balmer series from fifth to second orbit. Thus the excited atom in 2nd orbital, transition must be from $2 \rightarrow 1$ for an atom to its ground state.

Q9b Ans: C

Solution: $\frac{1}{\lambda} = R_H z^2 \left[\frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right]$

$$\lambda_{Li^{+2}} = \lambda_{He^+} \quad (2 \rightarrow 4 \text{ transition})$$

wavelength of He^+ ion ($z=2$)

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = R_H \times 4 \left(\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{16} \right) \Rightarrow \frac{1}{\lambda} = 4R_H \left[\frac{4-1}{16} \right] = \frac{3R_H}{4}$$

wavelength of Li^{+2} ion ($z=3$)

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = R_H \times 9 \left[\frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right]$$

$$\frac{3R_H}{4} = R_H \times 9 \left[\frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right] \Rightarrow \frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} = \frac{1}{12}$$

$n_1=3, n_2=6.$

Q10) Ans:- B.

Solution:- For 7th excited state $n=8$.

No. of Paschen series = 5.

$8 \rightarrow 3, 7 \rightarrow 3, 6 \rightarrow 3, 5 \rightarrow 3, 4 \rightarrow 3$.

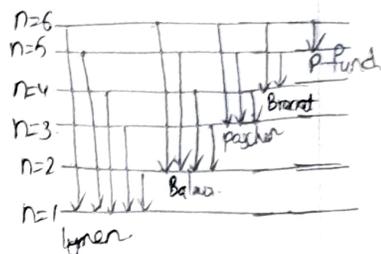
Q11) Ans:- C.

Solution:- 5th excited state means $n=6$

No. of spectral lines = $\frac{n(n-1)}{2} = 15$.

Paschen, Brackett, Pfund series in infrared region.

Total 6 lines are in infrared region.



Q12) Ans:- D.

Solution:- The transition $3 \rightarrow 2$ will correspond to red line as it has lowest energy.

Red light has minimum energy.

The order of high energy to low energy is VIBGYOR

Q13) Ans:- A.

Solution:- 1st line of Balmer series, $n_1=2, n_2=3$.

$$\bar{\nu}_B = \frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left[\frac{1}{2^2} - \frac{1}{3^2} \right] = R \left[\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{9} \right] = R \left[\frac{9-4}{36} \right] = \frac{5R}{36}$$

Last line of Paschen series, $n_1=3, n_2=\infty$

$$\bar{\nu}_P = \frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left[\frac{1}{3^2} - \frac{1}{\infty} \right] = \frac{R}{9}$$

$$\bar{\nu}_B - \bar{\nu}_P = \frac{5R}{36} - \frac{R}{9} = \frac{5R-4R}{36} = \frac{R}{36}$$

Q14) Ans:- A.

Solution:- 5th excited state means $n_2 = 6$.

For Lyman series $n_1 = 1$.

No. of lines $\rightarrow 6 \rightarrow 1, 5 \rightarrow 1, 4 \rightarrow 1, 3 \rightarrow 1, 2 \rightarrow 1$

Total no. of lines in Lyman series = 5

Q15) Ans:- D

Solution:- $\frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left[\frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right]$

Wavenumber and Rydberg's constant have same units.

The lowest energy in Lyman series is 10.4 eV which lies in UV region. So Lyman series occur in ultraviolet region.

$$L = \frac{nh}{2\pi}, n=1$$

$$\gamma = 0.529 \times \frac{n^2}{Z} \text{ \AA}, n=Z=1.$$

Advanced Level Questions

Q1) Ans:- A.

Solution:- The H-atom is excited to the 4th level.

Q2) Ans:- D.

Solution:- Limiting line in Balmer series

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = 1.097 \times 10^7 \left[\frac{1}{2^2} - \frac{1}{\infty^2} \right] = 364 \text{ nm} = 0.364 \mu\text{m}$$

\rightarrow For the Balmer series, the lower energy level is $n=2$

Q3) Ans:- A

Solution:-

Lyman	Balmer	Paschen	Brackett	Pfund	Humphry
$n_1=1$	$n_1=2$	$n_1=3$	$n_1=4$	$n_1=5$	$n_1=6$ $n_2=7,8,9$

$$E \propto \frac{1}{n^2}$$

n is high for humphry. So energy is least.

Q4) Ans:- A

Solution:- Last line of Brackett series, $n_1=4$, $n_2=\infty$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda_1} = R \left[\frac{1}{4^2} - \frac{1}{\infty^2} \right]$$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda_1} = \frac{R}{16} \rightarrow R = \frac{16}{\lambda_1}$$

and 1st line of Lyman $n_1=1$, $n_2=3$.

$$\frac{1}{\lambda_2} = R \left[\frac{1}{1^2} - \frac{1}{3^2} \right] = R \left[\frac{1}{1^2} - \frac{1}{3^2} \right] = R \left[\frac{9-1}{9} \right] = \frac{8R}{9}$$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda_2} = \frac{8R}{9}$$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda_2} = \frac{8}{9} \left(\frac{16}{\lambda_1} \right)$$

$$\frac{9}{\lambda_2} = \frac{128}{\lambda_1}$$

Q5) Ans:- C

Solution:- 1st line of Paschen $n_1=3$, $n_2=4$.

For Be^{3+} ion $Z=4$.

$$\bar{\nu} = R \left[\frac{1}{3^2} - \frac{1}{4^2} \right] 4^2 \Rightarrow \bar{\nu} = R \left[\frac{16-9}{144} \right] \times 16$$

$$\bar{\nu} = \frac{7R}{9}$$

Integer Type

Q67 Ans:- 5

Solution:- 1st line of balmer series $n_1=2, n_2=3$.

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{1}{\lambda} &= R \left[\frac{1}{2^2} - \frac{1}{3^2} \right] \times 1^2 \\ &= R \left[\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{9} \right] = R \left[\frac{9-4}{36} \right] = \frac{5R}{36}\end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = \frac{5R}{36} \quad \text{SO} \rightarrow \lambda = 5$$

Q71 Ans:- 2

Solution:- Longest wavelength = 130 nm

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = R_H \left[\frac{1}{n_1^2} - \frac{1}{n_2^2} \right]$$

$$n_1 = 1$$

$$\frac{1}{\lambda} = R_H \left[\frac{n_2^2 - 1}{n_2^2} \right] \Rightarrow \frac{n_2^2 - 1}{n_2^2} = \frac{1}{130 \times 10^{-9} \times 109678} = 0.7$$

$$n_2 = 2$$

Matrix Matching

Q81 Ans:- A) P B) Q C) R D) S.

Solution:-

A) Shortest wavelength in Lyman series \rightarrow P) $\frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left[\frac{1}{1^2} - \frac{1}{2^2} \right] \Rightarrow \frac{1}{\lambda} = R \Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{4\lambda}{5}$

B) longest wavelength in Lyman series \rightarrow Q) $\frac{1}{\lambda} = R_H \left[\frac{1}{1^2} - \frac{1}{2^2} \right] = R_H \cdot \frac{3}{4}$
 $\lambda = \frac{4\lambda}{9}$

C) Shortest wavelength in Balmer series \rightarrow R) $\lambda = \frac{1}{R_H} = 9\lambda$

D) Longest wavelength in Balmer series \rightarrow S) $\frac{1}{\lambda} = R_H \left[\frac{1}{2^2} - \frac{1}{3^2} \right]$
 $\lambda = \frac{36}{5R_H} = \frac{4\lambda}{27}$

Q91 Ans - A) P B) Q C) R D) S.

Solution -

A) Lyman series. P) $n_2 = 2$ ($n_1 = 1$).

B) Balmer series. Q) $n_2 = 3$ ($n_1 = 2$).

C) Paschen series. R) $n_2 = 4$ ($n_1 = 3$).

D) Brackett series. S) $n_2 = 5$ ($n_1 = 4$).